

Town of Sumner - Select Board Minutes
May 25, 2021 7:00 pm (Zoom)
Following
6:00 pm Budget Committee Meeting (Zoom)

Members present: Town Clerk Sherry Sullivan, Road Commissioner Andy Wickson, Ed Hinshaw, Mary Ann Haxton, Kelly Stewart, Laurie Arsenault

Public present:

Reading of the minutes from May 11, 2021 approved with a motion by Haxton, seconded by Hinshaw and voted.

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| Warrant #22 | May 25, 2021 | |
| Checks | | |
| Receipts #1460-1528 | \$29,558.13 | |
| 2020-2021 Tax Collected | \$1,274,541.45 | 88.49% |
| 2019-2020 Tax Collected | \$1,254,173.21 | 86.38% |

Open Session:

RSU #10 Report: Charles Maddaus

CEO/LPI Report: Fred Collins

Roads Report: Andrew Wickson

Wickson stated that he added gravel to Valley Road and Tuell hill.

8-ton signs are in.

Decoster Road needs gravel.

Winter roads contract from Lucas rejected with a motion by Hinshaw, Haxton seconded and voted.

New bids for the winter roads contract need to be in by June 18th.

Forms, Reports, Correspondence:

Sign approved minutes from April 27th.

New Business:

Budget committee will meet to discuss the winter roads plowing options. The committee will explore options the town has in place of bid for contracts such as adopting a town highway department and compare the budget with assistance from Sullivan.

Sale of alcohol voting record- motioned by Stewart, seconded by Haxton and vote carried.

A warden is still needed for the June 8th RSU 10 Referendum. Stewart and Haxton made suggestions of those who may be willing to assist. Sullivan will ask residents as they walk into the office.

Sullivan suggested that residents should be able to wear a mask in the office at their own discretion. She will not be asking if they have been vaccinated. The signs on the building will remain up for now.

New town website is live. Old website links can be used and will redirect to the new site. A trial period of online tax assessing information has been made available to residents and realtors looking for property information.

The Town of Hartford requested a MV agreement with Sumner. Sullivan has accepted this offer and will send confirmation to the Town of Hartford. Both towns will be able to complete MV registrations. The expanded hours between the two towns will offer more flexibility to residents of both towns.

Old Business:

Upcoming events:

Fire Department Auxiliary YARD SALE, June 5, 2021- 9am

RSU #10 Budget Referendum, June 8, 2021

Meeting adjourned at 8:32pm with a motion from Hinshaw, seconded by Stewart and voted.